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THE DREADED SCOURGE.

The Habits and Instincts of the Rocky Mountain Locust.

A Very Interesting Chapter in Natural History Concerning the Grasshopper.

Written for the "Record-Union" by J. G. Lemmon.

Very interesting is the natural history of the Rocky Mountain locust. If it were not the horrid looking and dreadful destroyer it is, its habits and instincts, fully narrated, would be as enchanting as a romance. Their life is spanned by a few summer months, none living over the winter. Having a permanent locality where more or less of them may be found every year, favoring conditions allow them to occasionally become numerous—too numerous for the commissariat. For days they assemble in vast herds. All is stir and eager preparation. Frequently they rise, circle round and round, rising perhaps until out of sight, then suddenly dropping like plummets to the ground. The direction of the upper currents were unfavorable. When the wind favors their plans, they embark upon it for days together, sometimes alighting at night, but as often continuing night and day in an air line, always in the direction of choicest food, though it may be hundreds or a thousand miles away. Often they ascend so high as to be invisible, and this accounts for their unwelcome presence sometimes in distant lands. Swarms have been noted as flying in different directions and even in opposite directions, scurrying along on different strata of air.

THEIR FLIGHT

may be likened to a snow storm extending from the ground to a height at which our visual organs perceive them only as minute, darting scintillations. "When on the highest peak of the snowy range, 14,000 to 15,000 feet above the sea," writes Mr. W. M. Byers, "I have seen them as much higher as could be distinguished by a good field glass." If they meet with adverse winds, they instantly fold their wings and fall to the ground and lie in heaps until favorable winds allow them to proceed. If the favoring breeze veers around a few points across their course they tack too, and move sideways; when the favoring wind becomes a gale they turn head toward it, using their wings vigorously, and so are carried along at a much less rate than that of the gale. Does the sailor on the great deep display greater skill in navigation? Arrived at the chosen fields they come to a halt, and trouble begins. They convert a cornfield in a few hours into a stretch of bare, spindling stalks. Covering each hill by hundreds, scrambling from row to row like a lot of hungry pigs, their sharp jaws gnashing with the noise of a thousand shears, they devour the crop quicker than could a herd of hungry steers. After supper comes a rest with most animals. Not so with locusts. Where they eat, there at once the sexes unite and the female hurries off to find a suitable place for—

DEPOSITING HER EGGS.

The sexual habits and the description of egg-laying, the hatching, molting and travels of the young, will be considered in another paragraph. As stated, egg-laying always takes place where the young are to be hatched, and are born young. Often so thick as to blacken the ground, they move like sea waves over the meadows, devouring every green thing, eating the roots of grasses closer than did their predecessors; only stopping in the coolest hours of night, and also once in about eight days, to hang themselves up by the hind legs, fold their other legs and antennae and look very innocent and helpless for a few hours. But this is preparatory to the mysterious process of molting, or shedding their skins, from which they emerge twice as large and hungrier than before. Six times the molting is repeated before wings are fully developed. By this time the gregarious character is fully established, and the strangest of movements begins.

No prodigal son ever strove harder to return to his father's house than do these emigrants, born in distant lands, but with an instinctive knowledge that causes them as soon as able to fill their crops, assemble together, quit the country without laying eggs and hasten back as their parents came, to the home of their forefathers. These returning swarms are quite different from invaders. The latter are always larger, brighter-colored, robust and fierce looking brigades. These emigrants are smaller, weak-constituted, and always more or less infested with parasites. These are grub within and lice without of several sorts, that, as they feed upon their hosts, reduce their strength greatly and eventually kill. It may be this attack from parasites that drives the locust back home, but the phenomenon is one of the strangest in nature.

FIGHTING THE SCOURGE.

As the western settlements encroach more upon the great plains the damage by locust invasions is relatively increased. During the four years from 1875 to 1877 the loss is estimated at the enormous sum of \$300,000,000, mainly sustained by an industrious farming population. The governments of the allied States and Territories have enacted expensive legislation to

combat the pest, by giving \$1 to 50 cents per bushel for locusts collected and destroyed, and 50 cents per gallon for eggs. Coal oil, Paris green, caustic, potash and other poisons are provided cheaply and liberally used. By law it is made obligatory upon all able-bodied citizens to labor a certain number of days in the season in defense of the crops. Twenty-two kinds of machines, more or less elaborate, are described and figured in the last report of the Locust Commission. Extensive systems of irrigation are instituted, cooperative action arranged for protecting the prairie grass being burned in the fall, then setting it on fire in early spring to kill the young and wingless locusts. Fumigation by burning damp straw along the borders of growing crops is practiced, and effectually wards off invaders. The aid of the military and Indians is invoked to assist in digging trenches for trapping the young where feasible, and a signal corps of observation is suggested to note the movements of swarms and warn threatened localities. In view of the immense damage stated, the economy of these last measures is apparent.

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STATE TAXATION.

The Eureka Leader, of which W. W. Hobart, ex-State Controller, is editor, has published a carefully prepared article on the finances of Nevada. It appears that the total State funds on hand at the beginning of the present year were \$665,966. Of this sum a large portion has been taken up in redeeming outstanding state bonds, but the remainder will probably be amply sufficient to pay the expenses of the government for the coming year, and to leave a surplus sufficient for the expenses of the Legislature in 1881.

The present rate of state taxation is fifty-five cents on the \$100. The Leader believes that, unless the taxable products of the mines are largely increased beyond the present production, an increase in the rate of taxation to seventy-five cents will be found necessary. On the basis of the present taxable property, say \$40,000,000, the revenue from a tax of seventy-five cents would amount to \$300,000.

The expenses of the state government for two years are: Executive \$500,000; Legislature, \$100,000; interest, \$40,000; and miscellaneous expenses about \$30,000; making a total of \$670,000, or \$335,000 per year.

The amount of taxable property considered, there is no state in the Union whose rate of taxation is so low as Nevada's. Nevada, with only forty millions of taxable property, has a lower rate of taxation than California with her six hundred millions.

The Eureka Leader and the Silver State both recommend that the sessions of the Legislature should be held only once in four years instead of once every two years as at present. The change from biennial to quadrennial sessions would effect saving of at least \$25,000 a year. The suggestion seems good, but it would take from four to six years to amend the constitution. And in the course of the next six years the wealth of the state may so much increase that it would not be found necessary to cut down the expenses. And long delays in obtaining needed legislation might more than outweigh the saving that would result from the proposed change.

A CALL FOR COFFINS.

The frightful ravages of pneumonia in Bodie have been kept secret as much as possible, but the truth has at length leaked out. The Bodie papers even went so far as to omit the customary notices of death, in order that the true sanitary condition of the place might not be known on the outside. But now attempts at concealment would no longer be of any use, as the facts have been published. The Mammoth City Times states that a Catholic priest in Bodie was sent for to attend a dying man in Mammoth, but he answered that he could not leave the dying at his own door, his time both day and night being taken up at the bedside of pneumonia patients. He said that within four weeks he had seen over thirty persons die of the disease. The Mammoth Times believes that more than one hundred deaths from pneumonia occurred in Bodie during the past month.

Yesterday's Enterprise contained a letter from a correspondent in Bodie, under date of the thirteenth instant, stating that at the time of writing there were twelve corpses in the place. Four of the bodies were of poor men, and the city and county authorities had refused to bury them. The writer continues: "For God's sake send a few extra boxes. I expect to see these men rolled in blankets and dumped in some old shaft soon. Our papers do not chronicle one-half the deaths here. The deaths appear to be all in the middle and lower parts of town. When Mr. Daily said that there were five deaths per day he was as near right as any newspaper has reported from here. I am an old Comstock miner, and I have never seen old Virginia refuse anyone a decent burial."

Bodie is certainly in great trouble. While all must sympathize with the Bodie people in their danger and distress, it is useless to try to make light of the perils of residence there at this season of the year. Enough men will be attracted by the love of money to keep up the population of the place. But those who go should be warned of the risk they run. There are many idle men in Bodie now, and check on the stream of immigration would really be a benefit to the present population.

THE NEXT PRESIDENT A REPUBLICAN.

The outlook for the Republican party is bright. It looks so, indeed, when the New York Sun, a Democratic journal, and one of the great newspapers of the world, makes such admissions as the following:

"In politics, as in war, the true policy is to justly estimate the contending forces and to see things as they actually exist. The elections which have just taken place in several States show conclusively such an augmentation of Republican strength as to render it altogether probable that the Republicans will be able to elect their candidate for President next year."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The audiphone is a newly invented instrument which enables the deaf to hear through their teeth. A lady whose husband had been for years as deaf as a post, heard of the invention and bought one of the instruments. Her husband tried it, and, to her great delight, he could hear through it quite well. But she talked to him through it so much the first twenty-four hours after the purchase that the poor man fainted from exhaustion and want of sleep. When he recovered he went out and had all his teeth extracted. He is now hopelessly and happily deaf.

It is said that a man attempted in San Francisco last week to procure a life insurance policy for a large amount, but it leaked out that he intended to defraud the company by going to die in Bodie for the benefit of his family. The negotiation abruptly came to an end, and a criminal prosecution was immediately commenced against him.

The S. F. Journal of Commerce states that the Pacific Coast annually consumes over five million pounds of tobacco and more than one hundred and thirty million cigars. The whole trade in tobacco in San Francisco for the year 1878 amounted to not less than \$3,000,000. A good deal of money to go up in smoke or out in exasperation.

Of the voters of San Francisco 23,996 are foreign born, and 20,769 natives of the United States. Ireland contributes 10,467; Germany, 6,704 and England 1,751. The largest number of the native born are from New York, 5,301.

The weather being unfavorable, St. Julien did not trot at Oakland last Saturday.

The Bodie Free Press has enlarged, is full of news and a bright and newsy journal.

STATE NEWS.

Sleighting in Tuscarora. The winter is already hard on Tuscarora.

The hobby of perpetual motion has sent a Winnemucca man to the Insane Asylum.

The West Belle Isle stock (Tuscarora) is to be listed shortly on the San Francisco Stock Board.

Mr. Thomas Higgins, of the Corner's department of the Carson mint, has retired, after ten years' service.

The new schoolhouse in Humboldt district No. 6, Paradise Valley, is completed and school will be opened there immediately.

The woodchoppers and others who have been at work on the timber ranges up in the Sierra are flocking down into the valleys in search of winter quarters.

The Central Pacific railroad company owns and pays taxes on one-half the property in Humboldt county. The Silver State concludes that, after all it is not so bad a thing to have 144 1/2 miles of railroad there.

The train dispatcher on the Nevada Central railroad keeps a fast horse always saddled and bridled, so as to be in readiness to ride to any point where a difficulty occurs and give his orders. He will keep up this arrangement until the completion of the road.

The Moffet Bell Punch.

The liquor register, otherwise known as the Moffet bell punch, has gone in to effect in Texas, much to the disgust of the dealers in alcoholic beverages. The dealers have resolved to test the constitutionality of the law in the courts, but they have, nevertheless, taken advantage of it, both to raise the price of drinks and to refuse credit for them. The prohibitory sentiment, which is very strong in parts of Texas, favors the register, as tending to lessen the consumption of intoxicating liquors.

An Original and Striking Metaphor.

From the Eureka Leader. All day the low-hung clouds have dropped their garnered fullness down, but it has been in a scanty way, like a cow holding up her milk.

Charred remains of a man believed to have been "Dutch Fred" found in coal pit near Bodie. John Dillon reported to have quarrelled with Fred. Reported that Indian says he saw Dillon kill Fred and throw him into fire. Dillon in Bridgeport jail. Incident exciting interest in Bodie.

PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

One Bodie doctor has twelve pneumonia patients. Shakespeare, a new mining town near Tucson, is to have a newspaper. The first case of typhus fever ever known in Sacramento, occurred last week.

Seventeen miles northeast of Nevada City there are sixteen inches of snow on the level.

The News says there are many young, able-bodied men lying dangerously ill at Bodie.

The sales in the San Francisco Board during the past week amounted to \$1,030,000.

The people of Oroville are discharging Chinese servants and hiring white cooks and chambermaids.

It is untrue that pneumonia causes all the deaths in Bodie. Impure water also has its victims, not to speak of Bodie whiskey.

The Enterprise says that G. W. Oman was "fired out" as principal of the public school at Truckee. It being represented that he obtained his certificate under suspicious circumstances, and what is more is a poor speller and a worse grammarian.

The shrinking of the water in Tulare lake has uncovered a prehistoric settlement. Stone buildings, traces of canals once bordered with planted trees, and other evidences of former occupation by an unknown race, are being clearly defined as the water subsides.

Notices.

This is to certify that the Truckee & Steamboat Springs Irrigation Canal Co. will not be responsible for any bills contracted by Lem Chang & Co., contractors of the canal, unless an order is first obtained from the trustees of Ditch Co. By order Trustees. J. S. Gilson, Secretary.

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